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**Ex Parte**

Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: WT Docket No. 02-353, Service Rules for Advanced Wireless Service in the  
1.7 and 2.1 GHz Bands

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 3, 2005, Donald Brittingham and Charla Rath met with Sam Feder and Fred Campbell of the Office of the Chairman to discuss Verizon Wireless' proposal to revise the Advanced Wireless Services (AWS) band plan as indicated in the attached and for the reasons set forth in our May 27, 2005 ex parte filing in this docket.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, an electronic copy of the letter is being filed for inclusion in the above-referenced docket. Please direct any questions regarding this filing to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

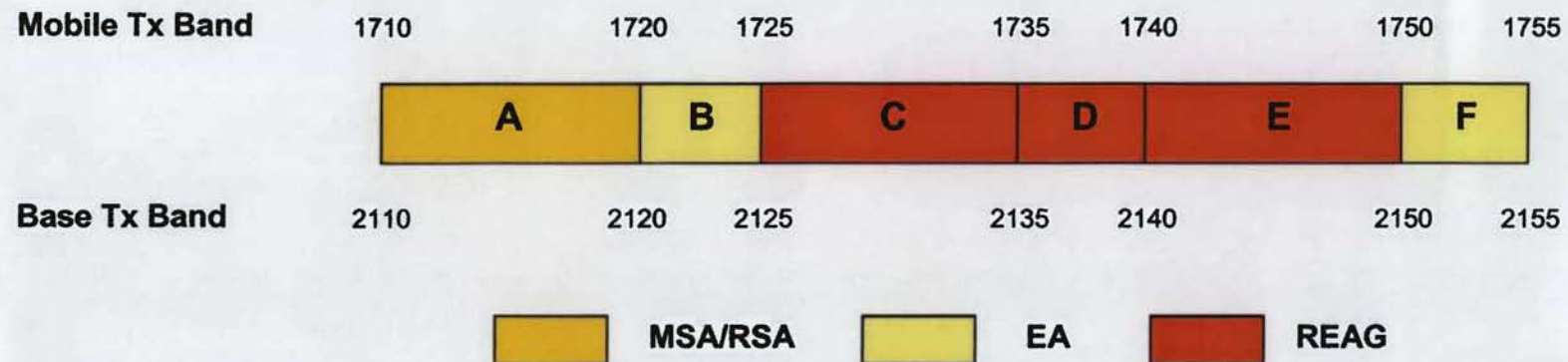
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**Attachment**

cc: Sam Feder  
Fred Campbell

## Proposed Band Plan for Advanced Wireless Services (AWS) in the 1710-1755 / 2110-2155 MHz band



- Facilitates more efficient aggregation of spectrum blocks
- Provides more flexibility for prospective licensees
- Supports acquisition of 30 MHz blocks without requiring 30 MHz licenses
- Accommodates rural carriers' desire for 20 MHz MSA/RSA licenses